

NEWS OF THE NEIGHBORS

DAVENPORT

Millions in Paving.—Davenport today has 52,587 miles of pavement. It has been provided at a total cost of \$2,242,372.72, but no good citizen will dispute that it is well worth the investment. During the year ending Jan. 1, 1908, there were 5,093 miles of pavement laid at an expense of \$221,713.11. There were 4,021 miles of the pavement brick and 1,672 miles asphalt. In 1907 there were 7.28 miles laid, 3.14 of brick and 4.14 of asphalt, at an outlay of \$338,692.94.

After More Saloons.—Ten more injunction suits against saloonkeepers were filed yesterday by Attorney H. B. Betty on behalf of the Civic federation. Simon Yann, one of the parties against whom Attorney Betty was to start proceedings closed his saloon known as the Lahmann's hall Wednesday night and turned the keys over to the landlord. By so doing he escaped having suit filed against him. The hearing in all the cases has been set for Jan. 5, at 10 o'clock before Judge Bollinger. Most of the injunction proceedings yesterday are against country saloonkeepers. John Masters and Nels Peterson are named as plaintiffs. The saloonkeepers against whom proceedings are brought, are as follows: Leo Von Hein, LeClaire; Samuel Culbert, LeClaire; John C. Bell, Davenport; LeClaire; W. F. Maves, Pleasant Valley; Johanna Mollenbeck, Walcott; Adam F. Schaecklot, Walcott; Joe Traeger, 417 West Second street, Davenport; Charles (Sappy) Rink, 429 Fourth street, Davenport.

Will Close Light Wells.—Harned & Von Maur have let to A. A. Arnold the contract for closing the light wells in their store, for the purpose of meeting the need of additional floor space. To carry the 30-foot span across these wells, the construction will be some of the heaviest that has been put in Davenport. Over 1,000 additional feet of floor space will be added to the store by the change. During the holiday season the store was so crowded that the need of more space was felt more than ever, and this radical means is being taken of securing it.

Obituary Record.—Beulah Davis, 14 years old, an inmate of the Soldiers' Orphans' home, died yesterday. She had been at the home six years with her two younger sisters, Cora and Gladys, 10 and 8 years old respectively. The girl's mother, Mrs. Clara Goodrich of Kingsley still lives.

Mrs. Benjamin Barr's illness of extended duration, ended Wednesday evening, when she passed away. She was born March 14, 1819 in Wales. While she was quite young the family came to America and settled in Bucks county, Pa. When the father died Miss Anna Dale went to Philadelphia, where she opened a millinery store and established a fine business. Here she met Mr. Barr and married him Oct. 27, 1847. Together they came to Davenport, arriving July 4, 1849. Four children were born to them, Francis D., Clarence J., Anna M. and Minnie Rose, the last named dying in infancy Jan. 17, 1864. Anna Mathilda, later Mrs. Charles Kendal, preceded her mother to the realms beyond, leaving an only son, Dale. Three children were born to Clarence J., Harry F., Fred J. and Rhoda A., now Mrs. Meyer. Some 12 years ago Mr. and Mrs. Barr retired from the active life of the farm and have resided in Davenport since then. The last few years have been spent in their beautiful home, 1336 Main street. Francis D. has remained at home to cheer and comfort his parents during their declining days.

SHERRARD

Robert Davidson and wife and son came Thursday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davidson, Sr.

Mrs. John Robertson, Sr., went to Victor, Iowa, to spend New Year's with her son, George.

Mrs. Bradley and daughter, Mrs. William Green, returned to their home in Rock Island Wednesday after at-

tending the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Samuel Culbert, LeClaire; John C. Bell, Davenport; LeClaire; W. F. Maves, Pleasant Valley; Johanna Mollenbeck, Walcott; Adam F. Schaecklot, Walcott; Joe Traeger, 417 West Second street, Davenport; Charles (Sappy) Rink, 429 Fourth street, Davenport.

Miss Nora O'Neil of Brereton, Ill., visited with her uncle, John O'Melia and family from last Thursday till Wednesday.

Mrs. Barney Flaherty, Sr., and daughter, Marguerite, spent Christmas in Rock Island with the rest of her children.

Mrs. Margaret Sladen, who died Dec. 23, was buried Friday, Dec. 25 at Pre-emption. Rev. Mr. Read of Moline officiated.

James Watson of Buxton, Iowa, who was called to Cable on account of his mother's death, visited with relatives and friends till Monday before his return home.

There is quite a bit of sickness here. Ed Paul of Cuba came Monday evening and was shaking hands with old friends. He spent Christmas with his family in Rock Island.

Joseph Davidson and bride, who arrived last Wednesday from Danville, Ill., to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davidson, returned home to Danville Monday.

Frank Lundquist and wife went to New Windsor Monday to spend New Year's with Mr. Lundquist's parents, before their return to their home at Ipswich, S. D.

Mrs. James Shannon of Silvis came Monday evening to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Bell.

Mrs. Jane Hughes left Wednesday for a visit and to spend New Year's with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Had-dick and family at Collinsville, Ill.

Eustis Brehme was called to near Coal Valley Wednesday to see his father, who was very low.

Miss Mamie O'Leary of Orion is visiting at the Thompson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Grady returned home Monday after spending Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. William Wilson and family in Reynolds.

Miss Rose Stengel of Rock Island is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Sophie Mingle, for a week.

Isaac Edwards and wife and son Fred returned home Monday evening after spending Christmas with relatives and friends in Chicago and Harvey, Ill.

Jonathan Milner and daughter Ruth returned home Monday from Brad-wood, where they had spent Christmas with his mother.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bell died at her home Sunday morning, Dec. 27, after a lingering illness. She was 62 years old. She leaves to mourn four sons, Christopher, George and William, in Sherrard, and Richard, at Silvis, and one daughter, Mrs. Elmer Sineox of Sherrard. The pallbearers were Fred Dunkelgoth, Frank Ryan, Asmus Mueller, C. O. Johnson, William Ash and John O'Melia. Rev. Mr. Arbogast officiated.

There was a short service at the home in Sherrard, and from there the remains were taken to Cable, where services were held at the P. M. church. Interment was in the Cable cemetery.

HAMLET

Misses Drew and Elsie Parmenter of Lyndon are visiting at the home of A. Kendal.

Miss Mary Schriver pleasantly entertained her Sunday school class of young ladies and their gentlemen friends Monday evening.

Mrs. George Dunn spent Monday and Tuesday with friends in Rock Island.

Charles and Hoyt Lea, Fred White and Cornelius Swartout, who attend the state university at Urbana, are spending the holidays at home.

Miss Bessie Cooper, who attend the Northern Illinois State normal at DeKalb, is spending the holidays with home folks.

Oscar Marsh's house was quite badly damaged by fire Monday morning. It was thought for some time it would be impossible to save the house, and the furniture was moved into the yard before the fire was extinguished. The origin of the fire was not positively known, but was thought to have started from a spark from the chimney. The house was insured in the Hamlet Mutual Insurance company.

Henry Lee returned to Chicago Monday after spending several days at the home of Eliza Lee.

Most children eat too much, overtax the digestion, get thin, weak, languid, stop growing—that's malnutrition or non-digestion of food.

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Fire Alarm Failed.—A live wire in contact with the fire alarm circuit put the fire alarm service out of commission so far as the Central and No. 3 stations were concerned Wednesday evening. The first intimation either of these companies had of a fire alarm was when the waterworks whistle sounded. The fire was in the studio of Mrs. Poole at 1514 Fifth avenue, and fortunately was of small moment. It was started by an overheated pipe from the kiln used by Mrs. Poole in burning china. S. D. Poole was in the studio at the time, and he promptly applied an extinguisher and the danger was ended.

No Light at East Moline.—Probabilities are that East Moline will not enjoy electric light service on the streets and in residences till the middle of January, or possibly later. The 100-kilowatt generator has not arrived, and only one of the two 25-light generators has been installed. The other has not yet been moved from the freight depot. The bricklayers have not finished their work, and till they do Chief Engineer Swartz is unable to proceed with work on the boiler. The erection of an 80-foot smokestack has not been started, and there are plenty of minor details to look after that easily will serve to delay the operation of the plant at least 15 days.

Postpone Rudowitz Meeting.—Those who are interested in the mass meeting called for next Sunday afternoon at the Art gallery to consider the Rudowitz matter have postponed the meeting on account of the labor mass meeting to be held in Rock Island Sunday afternoon. The Rudowitz meeting will be held later in the week.

Lyon Re-elected Captain.—An election was held Wednesday evening by the members of Company F, 6th regiment, at the local armory hall, for the purpose of electing a captain to succeed Captain W. H. Lyon, whose term had expired. He was elected to succeed himself, there being no opposition. Captain Lyon has been in charge of the local division for the past nine years, and under his guidance and care the division has grown to be one of the best in the state of Illinois.

Good Month in Shops.—The month of December has been an exceptionally good one for the Rock Island railroad shops at Silvis, according to the number of engines which have been rebuilt during the month. A total of 45 engines have been rebuilt during the past 30 days. Taking into consideration the fact that the shops have been running on an eight-hour schedule workday, this is a good number. Fourteen hundred men have been given employment, and that number will continue to work there, and it is possible that longer hours will be ordered before many weeks.

Ross-Maurer.—A very pretty home wedding took place Wednesday evening when Miss Clara E. Maurer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maurer of 2340 Fifth avenue, was united in marriage with Arthur E. Ross. The wedding was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. W. M. Story, who used the ring ceremony, and the nearest relatives and friends of the young couple witnessed the affair. After the ceremony the couple escaped amid a shower of rice and went to their new home at 1412 Tenth street. Mrs. Ross is a well known young lady, and until a month ago taught at the John Deere school in East Moline. She was a graduate of the Moline high school graduating with the class of 1905. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ross of this city, and is a carpenter by trade.

HILLSDALE

A. C. Baron visited last week with his daughter, Bertha, in Chicago. She will accompany him to Canada this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Maxfield entertained over Christmas Mr. and Mrs. James McIntire of Peoria, Mr. and Mrs. Colvin and two children of Rock Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dudley of Rock Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Tompson of Prophetstown and Mr. and Mrs. Beigle of Prophetstown.

Ben Johnson of Joslin was in Hillsdale with salesbills last week. He moves to Minnesota in the spring.

William Smith had a very good sale Saturday. He is getting ready to move to Minnesota.

Mrs. C. H. Mendle and her mother, Mrs. Wiggins, visited last week in Rock Island with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fender.

Clarence and Glen Butyer are home from Champaign spending the Christmas vacation.

Roscoe Wreath is home from Champaign for a short visit with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Heskett Sell and two children Ralph and Berta are in Chicago on a two month's visit with

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You try to stick to business principles in other transactions; why not do the same when you find you need some ready cash? Come and see us—it's our business to loan money, and it's a business transaction all through when you deal here.

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Specials For This Week

Scallop oysters, per quart 40c
Clifton soda and oyster crackers, 2 pounds for 15c
Pies, one can corn and one can early 25c